

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 97-4653, by Representatives Hatfield, Wolfe, Wood, Kessler, Wensman, Keiser, Blalock, Cooper, Butler, Kenney, Dickerson, Romero, Linville, Gardner and Chopp

WHEREAS, It is the policy of the Washington State Legislature to honor and celebrate excellence in all fields of endeavor; and

WHEREAS, The positive experience acquired through participation in athletics and other extracurricular activities establishes a lifelong standard of fair play and community involvement for the students of our public and private schools; and

WHEREAS, Young men and women who are involved in school activities outside the classroom, as well as their coaches and advisers, represent a tremendous role model for their peers and colleagues; and

WHEREAS, The Washington Interscholastic Activities Association sponsors and awards program that salutes the academic achievement of high school athletic teams and activity programs; and

WHEREAS, The Washington Interscholastic Activities Association has awarded academic championships to very deserving athletic teams and activity programs for the past nine years;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives commend and congratulate the 1996-97 fall and winter Academic Champions:

1996-97 FALL WIAA STATE ACADEMIC CHAMPIONS

BOYS CROSS COUNTRY				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
AAA	Kelso HS, Kelso	3.814	Joe Stewart	Gary Kinch
AA	Othello HS, Othello	3.650	John Oord	Mark Kondo
A	Zillah HS, Zillah	3.880	Earl Holden	Doug Burge
B	Pomeroy HS, Pomeroy	3.706	Fred Knebel	Bob Kirk
GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
AAA	Marysville Pilchuck HS, Marysville	3.880	Julie Coburn	Greg Erickson
AA	Arlington HS, Arlington	3.920	John Scheffer	Allen Jefferson
A	Cascade HS, Leavenworth	3.910	Rob Rosenau	Dan Roche
B	Naselle HS, Naselle	3.729	Dominic Urban	Linda Nelson
FOOTBALL				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
AAA	Lake Washington HS, Kirkland	3.379	Ron Sidenquist	Roger Hanson
AA	Colville HS, Colville	3.450	Ken Emmil	Randy Russell
A	Omak HS, Omak	3.611	Galen Kaemingk	Jim Brucker
B	Liberty HS, Spangle	3.308	Rod Fletcher	Nancy Hobbs
BOYS SOCCER				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
A	Meridian HS, Bellingham	3.447	Gil Huntley	Steve Miller
B	Evergreen Lutheran HS, Kent	3.380	Jeff Kurbis	David Habeck
GIRLS SOCCER				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
AAA	Joel Ferris HS, Spokane	3.653	Robin Crain	Ray Hare
AA	Port Townsend HS, Port Townsend	3.700	Colin Foden	Joey Johnson
A	The Northwest School, Seattle	3.650	Mike Mullen	Mike Mullen
B	Evergreen Lutheran HS, Kent	3.680	Jeff Stellick	David Habeck
GIRLS SWIMMING				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
AAA	Mercer Island HS, Mercer Island	3.686	Frank Ceteznik	Craig Olson
AA	Bellingham HS, Bellingham	3.805	Sam Anderson	Les Galley
VOLLEYBALL				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
AAA	Inglemoor HS, Kirkland	3.894	Kelly Haupt	Frank Naish
AA	Lynden HS, Lynden	3.950	Ron Barker	Terry DeValois
A	Cascade HS, Leavenworth	3.900	Paula West	Dan Roche
B	Moses Lake Christian HS, Moses Lake	3.861	Dennis Treat	Dan O'Bannan

1996-97 WINTER WIAA STATE ACADEMIC CHAMPIONS

BOYS BASKETBALL				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
AAA	Gonzaga Prep, Spokane	3.584	Mike Haugen	Mike Arte
AA	Sunnyside HS, Sunnyside	3.780	Jeff Thompson	Mike Davis
A	Dayton HS, Dayton	3.803	Tony Callero	Tony Henderson
B	Liberty HS, Spangle	3.675	David Baird	Nancy Hobbs
GIRLS BASKETBALL				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
AAA	Everett HS, Everett	3.790	Jo Metzger-Levin	Pat Sullivan
AA	Elma HS, Elma	3.810	Greg Hardie	Steve Bridge
A	Montesano HS, Montesano	3.887	Joel Tyndell	Tim Trimble
B	Wilbur-Creston HS, Wilbur	3.900	Steve Jantz	Glenn Arland
CHEER				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
AAA	Newport HS, Bellevue	3.801	Sharon Collins	Chuck Crickmore
AA	Capital HS, Olympia	3.577	Connie Brandau	Mike Mulligan
A	Omak HS, Omak	3.795	Rachel Erickson	Jim Brucker
B	Sprague-Harrington HS, Sprague	3.930	Elizabeth Frank	Randy Behrens
DANCE & DRILL				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
AAA	Bellevue HS, Bellevue	3.663	Sharon Hatcher	Al Strand
AA	Capital HS, Olympia	3.624	Betty Gill	Mike Mulligan
A	Castle Rock HS, Castle Rock	3.174	Tanya Sweet	Henry Karnofski
DEBATE				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
AAA	Federal Way HS, Federal Way	3.925	Lois Gorne	Bill Harris
AA	Othello HS, Othello	3.345	Don Godfrey	Mark Kondo
A	Cascade HS, Leavenworth	3.705	James Dillhoff	Bill Wadlington
DRAMA				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
AAA	Shorewood HS, Shoreline	3.563	Loren Reynolds	Sue Walker
GYMNASTICS				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
AAA	Joel Ferris HS, Spokane	3.720	Bill Christianson	Ray Hare
AA	Hanford HS, Richland	3.467	Brett Garland	Tom Hegarty
MUSIC				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
AAA	Shorewood HS, Shoreline	3.713	Dan Wing	Sue Walker
A	Quincy HS, Quincy	3.840	Dave Rowley	Bill Alexander
B	Liberty HS, Spangle	3.430	Mike Jedsrup	Nancy Hobbs
BOYS SWIMMING				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
AAA	Bellevue HS, Bellevue	3.590	Paul Von Destinon	Al Strand
AA	Capital HS, Olympia	3.547	Mike Westphal	Mike Mulligan
WRESTLING				
CLASS	SCHOOL	GPA	COACH	ATHLETIC DIRECTOR
AAA	Edmonds-Woodway HS, Edmonds	3.647	Mike Hess	Jerry Crabb
AA	Elma HS, Elma	3.420	Rick Rakevich	Steve Bridge
A	Colfax HS, Colfax	3.330	Jack McBride	Duane Gottschalk
B	Pomeroy HS, Pomeroy	3.242	Randy Mulrony	Fred Knebel

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be immediately transmitted by the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives to these schools in recognition of their impressive accomplishments.

I hereby certify this to be a true and correct copy of
Resolution 4653 adopted by the House of Representatives

April 14, 1997.

Timothy A. Martin, Chief Clerk